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NAT'L DEFENSE **MASS MEETING**

Sunday, Jan. 13, At The RACE LOYALTY

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Emma Phillips died at her home ice St., Saturday, Dec. 23, after f illness. The funeral was con-i at A. M. E. Church; Rev. S. B. son officiated. An quot-flow nel-who attended the funeral was

Waitly Cobb, and Madisson City, In.
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CAPE GIRARDEAU: MO.

By Miss H. N. Jones

There were Christmas trees at 'the M. E. Church and 2nd Baptist, last londay evening, while at Pleasant reen and the Gospel Tent, splendid orgrams were zendered. All were ell attended and enjoyed in spite of the inclement weather. Monday nich

held from the A. M. E. Church, of which he was a member. The Masonic and K. of P. Lodges had charge of the body, as he ranked high in these or-ganizations... The remainder of the

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"fe in bepid they will same the New-Year with greater and that sew before. Shenday meraling the Paster will deliver his first seamen in the beginsdeliver his first seamen for the beginsdeliver his first seamen to the beginsdeliver his season to the histage of the history of the history prateful to his many seamens and friends, white and Colored, who have a fortyl supported his deathed, what weigh his greatest desires for the year 10%, his jamere was, "A greater amplies of mergy and courage and out." In the season of the present the season of the ough establishment of a Sogital Contexnad shows all lasting Peace for the

World meeting night found the church inadequate to accommodate and the church inadequate to accommodate personal control of the church. Be serviced will begin Sunday, January in a sortes of cottage prayer, meeting, which will be the pregramme for the first week, and on the second Sunday the Evangelist will be

Present.

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WOMAN'S UNION AUXILIARY

The Woman's Union Auxiliary will meet Sunday afternoon at Bethal Bapholy in the Control of the C

SEARM CHARGE STATIST AND

The Seven Church Baptist Union will meet Monday night at El Bethel Baptist Church, 638 Athlona Are. This is our fast meeting for the new year and we extend an invitation to meeting. Her Coffer, paster of the Pilgrin Baptist Church, is the speaker of the hour's Come and hear this excellent speaker. Don't forget the culture of the hour's come and hear this excellent speaker. Don't forget the chirches of the union are expected to be present. Rev. J. W. Hall, president, Rev. L. E. Mollon, secretary.

The Man of the Hour

It was the Divine Hand of Provisions that directed Bishop Parks when he appointed Dr. W. H. Peck to the pastered of St. James two years ago. Rev. A. action of St. James two years ago. Rev. A. action, and the successful administration but his time was up and he was called to another field. As our church is located in an elastication of ester with large our good Bishop, realizing the ened for ama intellectually, morally and spiritually strong, sent Dr. Peck, better with the situation. He has been equal to the task and proven that he is "tower of strength." He is an import Pant factor in every civic, economic, it will be taken and the strength of the standard of Christian tyl higher among his rase. As a, pulyies, he is the paser of any in the city that a financier and business many by his methods of raising and disburing the church in the proof of the Mississiph.

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We wish for Dr. Peck at the begin ning of this new year a long life filler with noble deeds and great achieve ments, and as Bryant no beautifully

"So live that when his summons comto join
The innumerable caravan that mov-

shall take
His chamber in the silent halls
death,

Scourged to his dungeon, but see tained and soothed By an unfaltering trust, approach his grave,

Like one who wraps the draperies of his couch About him, and lies down to pleasant

The Cantata "Rente Clare"

Post," presented by the children las Wednasday avening, was a decided on case. The brandy school is rapid growing makes the lands and the programmer of the control of the conkindengarten. Miss Grace Williams as her able ausistants are making it these of its kind in the city among the Colored churches.

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ST. PAUL A. M. R. CHURC

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The Colored people of this country have looked with favor on the plan because government ownership of raifroads immediately abolishes the "Jam Crow" cars through the South, which have been a menace to the health and comfort of those of the race who have been compelled to ride in such cars under the, prevailing con-

Already, as a result of the proclamation, hundreds of cars have been discontinued to conserve steam and man power which can be used in other channels to help win the war. The railroads have been compelled to carry the cursed "Jim Crow" car which is the price of the race prejudice. The state laws which permitted the price of the race prejudice. The state laws which permitted the practice, will have no standing before the executive order of the President of the United States.

Another phase of the question is, it is supposed that the government, if the United States fosters no discrimination against any class of its citilens on account of race, color or previous con-dition. If that is true, then, goodbye "Jim Crow" cars on all rail-

roads.

If the local directors whose duties it shall be to carry out the
President's order fail-to discontinue the "Jim Crow" cars on the
railroads, then, it will be the duty of Director General McAdoo to

railroads, finen, it will be the duty of Dissector General McAdoo to issue an opty-for that effect.

The enforcement of this order will have a far reaching effect upon the municipalities of the South which have separate street car systems, in that it will enable them to better see the folly of their actions, and, no doubt, will seek to amend.

NECROES AND THE RED CROSS

The Red Croy campaign for members in St. Louis was a won-derful siccess. Scales ired quota was exceeded by many thous, and. How did the Neyro citizens respond? Did they measure up to the expectations! We are anxiously awaiting some official noto the expectations: We are anxiously awaiting some official no-tice from the Red Cross Campaign Committee as to the part our race has played; while waiting, we have gone through the sections of the city where most of the residents are Negroes and the pres-ence of Red Cross service dags; in windows has imbued us with the idea that Negro citizens of St. Louis are almost 100 per cent. Red

Cross members.

We have observed the Red Cross service flags in windows of Negro homes where joverty seemed to also fixed. We know of cases, where the precious dollar that had been saved to purchase the Christmas dinner, was cheerfully given for the Red Cross cause and the giver possibly ate his Christmas dinner at some five cent lunch counter. We are told that an old woman, when solicited gave her last sixtiveents, and with tears in her eyes, expressed regret that it was the best she could do. The solicitor gave her a service flag and added the additional amount to make the dollar. This old woman received from an unknown source the next day, a basket taden with food and a crisin new five dollar. In

the dollar. In so of woman received from an unknown source the mext day, a basket laden with food and a crisp new five dollar bill.

Many other instances of 100 per cent. loyalty have been brought to our attention. Those who have waited for an opportunity to berald the race as slackers have but to go through the sections of the city where the residents are for the most part Negroes, then go through some sections of the city where the residents are scular velocity where the residents are scular velocity. ents are exclusively white, the comparison will serve as a lasting

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We congratulate the Boosters Committee on the success of
their campaign to "Put the Fun in Funston," by soliciting and
and raising more than a thousand dollars for gifts. We are in receipt of several letters of appreciation from the St. Louis draftees
who were recipients. The gentlemen who compose the committee
deserve unlimitted credit. They are "live wires;" men who do
things, possessed of the spirit that inspires race pride, and a valuable asset to the welfare of the people. Here's to their future
success; may they be encouraged to even nobler deeds.



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Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Jones, 3319 Ar-mal-enfortained New Years night is oner of their guest, Miss Faith Brown Kokomo, Ind.

W. F. Smith, 4366 West Belle, ome to the "Mispah 500" Club, sday afternoon the 3rd.

The little boys Athletic Club of St. ames Church under the leadership of fra W. H. Peck, gave their Xmas par-y at the home of Booker T. Bradshaw.

Mr. C. P. Loving of New Orleans, La., was in St. Louis to be upon attendance at the bhriner's banquet hat week. He visited the Argus while here.

Mrs. Alma Dupuy, of Kirkwood, left-last week to join her husband, Mr. Oscar Dupuy at San Antonio, Texas, where she will spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Alice Robinson of Kanasa City, who a regul wishes her a pleasunt was a marque wishe he marque was a marque wishe was a marque was a m

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served and all departed at a late about.

Mr. add Mr. Schelly C. Aldwell of
3122a Lawton, entertained a number of
their friends with a dutch-lunch, Wednesday night, Jan. 2nd. Games and
music were the features of the evening,
and in the midst of the enjoyment the
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Are Richel Fields Williams, spent, and
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again soon.

The Whatsoever Charity Glub had their last social of the year at the home of Mrs. Katie Murray, Dec. 27, and was largely attended by the members and three visitors: Mrs. A. B. Dobbins, her sister, Miss M. Woodson of Ohio and Mrs. A. Cunningham. A splendid prosister, Miss M. Woodson of Ohio and Mrs. A. Cunningham. A splendid program was readered after which the lost test served an claborate hundron. The test served an claborate hundron, the contraction of the

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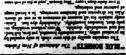
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